

Fudge It!

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Create Gorgeous Color-Filled Scenes!

In this column I'll discuss color-filling algorithms and present a machine language program called FILL4 that color-fills line drawings made by white lines on a black background. The program enables you to create scenes easily and is fun to use. It does, however, require prior creation of a line drawing picture. You may use HPILOT shape-drawing routines that I have presented in earlier columns, or write your own. You might want to create an etch-a-sketch screen drawing program by having the computer HPILOT lines connecting various coordinates determined by game paddle settings (as you move the paddles and push a paddle button to cause hplotting from your earlier hi-res screen position to your newest hi-res screen position). Or simply do `POKE 16302,0:HCOLOR=3:HPILOT X1,Y1 TO X2,Y2 TO X3,Y3 TO X4,Y4.....`

Once that line drawing is saved (`SAVE line drawing, A$2000,L$1FF8`)

you are ready to color it. When you key in the enclosed programs, you will have some great scene creation utilities (including the fastest color-fill algorithm available anywhere). If you haven't the time to type programs, I would suggest Avant-Garde's Paint Master Scene Utility as an inexpensive scene creator.

Scene painting is filling enclosed spaces with colors and/or patterns. The palette included here contains hundreds of colors/patterns to choose from. Or use Listing 4 (with line 10 modified to 10 HGR2) from my March *inCider* column to create a color palette (see photo), and then hit control-reset and type `BSAVE PATRN, A$4000, L$1FF8`. Don't forget to use `POKE 103,1:POKE 104,96:POKE 24576,0` before loading or running that listing.

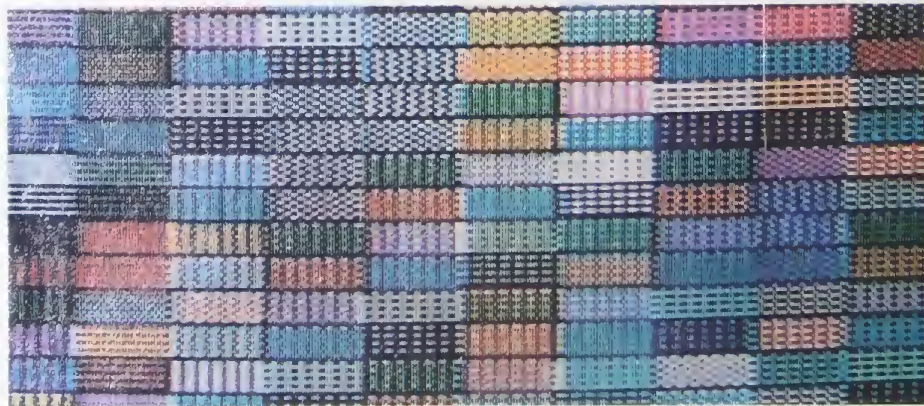
Start-of-Program Pokes

A note about the above pokes. Several people have written saying that

they've had trouble making programs work after typing them from *inCider* columns. The problem in all cases was either that they did not carefully read the column and skipped the section about the necessary pokes, or they decided to put the pokes at the beginning of their graphics programs. *This will not work!*

Here is what happens. The Apple normally loads all AppleSoft programs at \$800. But to avoid having graphics and string or variable storage clashing in memory, you should begin graphics programs at \$4000 if they use hi-res page 1, and \$6000 if they use hi-res page 2. This enables you to ignore HIMEM and LOMEM and to use \$800-\$1FFF for subroutine and data table storage. Further, it al-

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Some of the colors in a scene painting palette.

lows Basic programs to be \$5600 long, including variable and string storage.

POKE 103,1: POKE 104,64: POKE 16384,0 permits use of page 1 graphics and starts your Basic programs at \$4000. POKE 103,1: POKE 104,96: POKE 24576,0 permits use of page 1 and/or page 2 graphics and starts your Basic programs at \$6000. Page 1 is \$2000-\$3FFF and page 2 is \$4000-\$5FFF.

Now, it is impossible to move a loaded program by use of these pokes; if you put the pokes in line 1, your program will bomb. Line 1 is

not run until a program is entirely loaded and by then it is too late. So you must do these pokes either in IMMEDIATE mode (no line number) or in the Hello program that boots when you turn on your computer and your drive runs. It is okay to have a line like 90?CHR\$(4)"RUN PALETTE" after a line such as 50 POKE 103,1: POKE 104,96: POKE 24576,0.

Getting Ready

For Listing 1 (FILL4) you need only do CALL-151 and 9000:, and

then start typing code, hitting return after six lines are full and updating your address. PATRNMAKER (Listing 2) needs only to be keyed in, saved and run, from Basic. Again, saving the March issue's color palette, as previously advised, is also viable here, but you get no patterns—just colors.

Once FILL4 is keyed in, use BSAVE FILL4,A\$9000,L\$400. Then, after you're done running PATRNMAKER (POKE 103,1: POKE 104,96: POKE 24576,0 first) a file called PATRN will have been saved on your disk. This is the palette (a binary picture) your PALETTE program will be looking for when you choose your very first color.

PALETTE, Listing 3, is another Basic program to key in. Once FILL4, PATRN, and PALETTE are all saved on your disk, do POKE 103,1: POKE 104,96: POKE 24576,0 and run PALETTE.

Using the PALETTE Program

Here are a few details you will need to know:

1. If you will be loading any HPLOT shapes, TEST 0 (CALL 2048) must be on the disk. This file was presented in my March column as Listing 2. If you have no such file, do not worry; just avoid the HPLOT shape part of option 9.

2. If you will be loading block shapes into your scene (also in option 9) you will need TESTTB, another routine presented in March. If you have no TESTTB, all is well—simply avoid using block shapes as additions to the screen.

3. If you will want to use option 13 (GO TO SCAN & SAVE SHAPE) you will need my SCANA program from the April inCider. It turns any part of the screen into a table-sized block shape. If you have no such file, no problem—just don't try to create block shapes with sections of the screen in the hi-res scenes you create with PALETTE.

Incidentally, do you notice how I'm tying all the programs I've presented in this column together to create a *system* with which you can perform any general graphics feat you

*\$0000, A\$9000

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9000- 43 00 85 1F 85 FA 85 1B
9008- 85 FB 85 1D 85 FC 85 1A
9016- 85 EC 85 EE 85 EF 85 CE
9018- 85 ED 85 EF 85 FF 85 27
9020- 85 FE 85 FF 85 8F 81 26
9028- C9 7F 00 01 60 C9 FF 00
9030- 41 60 A5 EF C9 94 90 00
9038- 49 4A 04 0A 85 03 A5 EF
9040- 38 E5 03 85 FC A5 FC 00
9048- 07 A5 06 A2 06 4C 6A 90
9050- C9 01 00 07 A5 07 A2 07
9058- 4C 6A 90 C9 02 00 07 A5
9060- 08 A2 08 4C 6A 90 A5 09
9068- A2 09 06 1E 05 03 81 26
9070- 0A 00 07 A5 03 91 26 4C
9078- 2E 31 81 2E 29 7F 85 19
9080- A5 ED 29 7F C5 19 00 06
9088- 2A E5 34 4C 31 91 20 34
9090- 90 4C 31 91 09 00 85 FB
9098- A5 EB 85 CF 81 26 0A E6
90A0- EA 0A 90 FB A5 EB C9 02
90A8- 02 03 E6 CF 0A 02 00 A1
90B0- 1E 55 19 C6 EB F0 29 A9
90B8- 02 03 C5 EB 85 EB 85 EC
90C0- 05 1E C9 0A 02 E6 FB
90C8- 0A 03 E6 06 FB 4A C6 EC
90D0- 08 FB 05 0A 81 26 05 19
90D8- 0E 00 0A 02 09 80 91 26
90E0- 0A A5 1A 00 09 09 00 85
90E8- 0A 05 1A 4C 81 91 09 00
90F0- 05 0A 05 FB 00 27 F0 ED
90F8- 02 06 07 0E 1E A5 1E C9
9100- 0A 00 27 02 06 06 1E 4C
9108- 62 01 07 E9 06 0A 02 0C
9110- 0A 1E 01 26 C9 7F 00 02
9118- 0A 0A C9 FF 00 02 F0 C5
9120- 01 26 0A 00 09 02 00 A1
9128- 1E 01 26 4C 3E 91 20 E5
9130- 90 06 E3 F0 07 A9 00 85
9138- E3 01 1F 92 00 0A F0 F9
9140- E6 FA A5 FA C9 02 00 4E
9148- 0A FF 0E 1E C9 0A 00 24
9150- A5 FC 00 06 A9 00 85 1E
9158- 00 3C 05 01 00 06 A5 07
9160- 05 1E 00 3C 02 00 06 06
9168- 49 03 85 1E 00 26 A9 09
9170- 05 1E 00 22 A5 FC 00 06
9178- 49 E0 95 1E 00 18 C9 01
9180- 00 06 45 00 85 1E 00 0E
9188- C9 02 00 06 A9 0E 85 1E
9190- 00 0A 43 0F 95 1E 88 84
9198- FF 06 1E A5 1E C9 05 0A
91A0- 07 A2 09 86 1E 4C 00 92

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91F8- C9 DB 00 04 A2 DF 86 1E
9200- 81 26 C9 7F 00 02 F0 17
9208- C9 FF 00 02 F0 11 81 26
9210- 0A 00 09 A2 00 A1 1E 91
9218- 26 4C 81 91 20 94 90 A9
9220- 00 85 E3 A5 1D F0 03 4C
9228- EE 92 A5 1E C9 0A 00 24
9230- A5 FC 00 06 A9 0C 85 1E
9238- 00 3C C9 01 00 06 A9 00
9240- 85 1E 00 32 C9 02 00 06
9248- A9 DE 85 1E 00 28 A9 DF
9250- 85 1E 00 22 A5 FC 00 06
9258- A9 06 85 1E 00 18 C9 01
9260- 00 06 A9 07 85 1E 00 0E
9268- C9 02 00 06 A9 08 85 1E
9270- 00 0A A9 09 85 1E 20 05
9278- F4 A4 FF 84 EF A5 27 C9
9280- 3F 90 0C A5 26 C9 00 90
9288- 06 20 04 F5 4C EE 92 81
9290- 26 C9 7F 00 02 F0 57 C9
9298- FF 00 02 F0 51 81 26 0A
92A0- F0 43 A5 EE 00 1F 81 26
92A8- 29 7F 85 19 A5 ED 29 7F
92B0- C5 19 00 00 18 A5 19 4A
92B8- 00 07 A9 02 85 EE 4C C5
92C0- 92 A9 01 85 EE A5 EE C9
92C8- 02 F0 0C 20 94 90 A5 CF
92D0- 00 1E E5 E3 4C 3E 91 20
92D8- E5 90 A5 CF 00 10 A9 02
92E0- 85 FA 4C 81 91 A2 00 A1
92E8- 1E 91 26 4C 3E 91 E6 18
92F0- A5 18 C9 02 00 20 A5 FC
92F8- 00 06 A9 0C 85 1E 00 18
9300- C9 01 00 06 A9 00 85 1E
9308- 00 0E C9 02 00 06 A9 DE
9310- 85 1E 00 0A A9 0F 85 1E
9318- A5 F0 85 26 A5 FE 85 27
9320- 4C 6F 93 A5 1E C9 0A 00
9328- 24 A5 FC 00 06 A9 0C 85
9330- 1E 00 3C C9 01 00 06 A9
9338- 00 85 1E 00 32 C9 02 00
9340- 06 A9 DE 85 1E 00 28 A9
9348- DF 85 1E 00 22 A5 FC 00
9350- 06 A9 06 85 1E 00 18 C9
9358- 01 00 06 A9 07 85 1E 00
9360- 0E C9 02 00 06 A9 08 85
9368- 1E 00 0A A9 09 85 1E 20
9370- 0A F5 A4 FF 84 EF A5 27
9378- C9 21 80 07 A5 26 C9 28
9380- 00 01 60 81 26 C9 7F 00
9388- 02 F0 F7 C9 FF 00 02 F0
9390- F1 81 26 0A F0 46 E6 1D
9398- A5 CE 00 1F 81 26 29 7F
93A0- 85 19 A5 ED 29 7F C5 19
93A8- 00 00 18 A5 19 4A 00 07
93B0- A9 02 85 CE 4C 88 93 A9
93B8- 01 85 CE A5 CE C9 02 F0
93C0- 00 20 94 90 A5 CF 00 13
93C8- E6 E3 4C 3E 91 20 E5 90
93D0- A5 CF 00 07 A9 02 85 FA
93D8- 4C 81 91 60 A2 00 A1 1E
93E0- 91 26 E6 1D 4C 3E 31 00
93E8- 46 42 46 42 46 46 46 46
93F0- 40 60 40 60 40 40 40 40
93F8- 44 40 44 40 44 44 04 44

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Listing 1. FILL4.

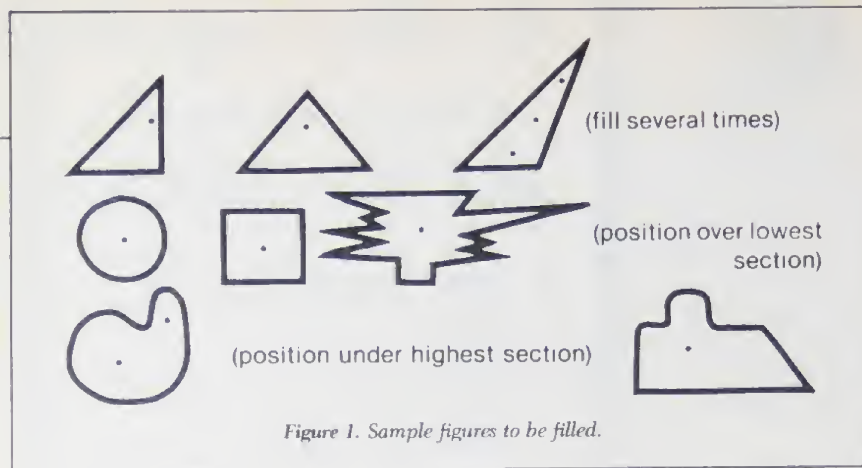


Figure 1. Sample figures to be filled.

desire with ease and convenience? This is no accident. It parallels the way I have written my major graphics utilities. The only problem this might create for you is that there will be so many possibilities for graphics creativity, you may have trouble deciding what to do next. Such is life.

4. Pictures you save with PALETTE will be hi-res page 1 pictures (\$2000). If you need them in your own programs at \$4000, simply BLOAD them at that address when using them. If you need to save screen pictures in only a few sectors and to retrieve and draw them in only a few seconds, you'll need to go beyond PALETTE to something like Paint Master Scene Utility.

5. When creating line drawings, frame them. They will look better and "color wraparound" will be pre-

TO 0,0 will do it.

6. It is best, especially on unframed pictures, to start filling near the right side of the screen and work left.

7. To quiet the cursor clicks, hit A.

8. When filling with color, hit the space bar to produce an extra large paintbrush.

9. To see screen coordinates when filling, hit C.

10. During filling, if you hit 1-9 you will be asking for the PAINT-

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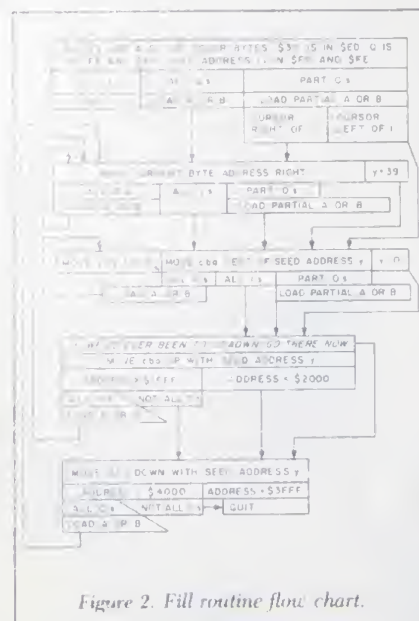


Figure 2. Fill routine flow chart.

BRUSH feature (which has nothing to do with color-filling). To move the paintbrush without affecting the picture, hold down paddle button #1. To paint use the paddle #0 knob and work sideways. To paint higher or lower on the screen use the paddle #1 knob to move vertically, with or without holding down the paddle #1 button (depending upon whether or not you want the picture to be affected). Move the paddle #0 knob fairly slowly as you paint. Choose different heights of brush and different colors

by hitting the space bar to stop painting, then P for PAINTBRUSH mode and 1-9 for height and 0-7 for color. The colors are black = 0 or 4, white = 3 or 7, green = 1, violet = 2, orange = 5, and blue = 6.

11. To color-fill use option 11, but make sure you have first picked a color via option 10 or 17. Move the cursor around the screen with the paddles, using the #0 button to fill and the #1 button to cease filling.

12. Options 2-8 all relate to vector shape use. Use option 9 to load in your vector shape table first and then view the entire table with option 2 (control-C for early exit), or specify DRAW/XDRAW, ROT (rotation), HCOLOR, X-Y coordinates, SCALE, or background color via options 2-8.

13. After loading in a block or vector shape, with option 9 you can move the shape around on the screen (as a cursor) and print it by hitting button #0. Then hit any key and choose to have more shapes, if desired. Shape tables of the vector type must have standard indexes to work; see your *Applesoft Manual*. Rotate (ROT) 16 units for every 90 degree rotation desired (option 4). Upside-down is a rotation of 32, for example.

14. SEE COLOR BYTE #S, option 16, is only for the more advanced. If you understand the way color bytes work (see my March inCider column) then it might be useful to see what color bytes you are color-filling with. Hitting C during filling gets you color bytes as well as X-Y coordinates.

15. MYSTERY COLOR (option 17) merely gives random color bytes.

A Dry Run

Let's say you're running PALETTE now. Hit return when you see the notice about not erasing the screen if you hit the space bar, unless you have a line drawing already on hi-res page 1. Use option 10 to choose a color and the paddles and button #0 to select a color or pattern. When choosing, have both dots on the palette color chosen as centered as possible. Back in the menu, select option 9 if you have a binary picture line drawing to load in and color. Remember that FILL4 fills color on

black backgrounds only and that lines must be white.

Now use option 11 to fill color, with button #0 as the fill button and button #1 as the quit button. If there is nothing on the screen to fill, choose white (rightmost column) in the palette. Then when in the fill subroutine, hit button #0 to fill the screen with white, followed by the space bar, and then hit 0 to designate 0 (black) for paint color. Create lots of black rectangles to color-fill by using paddle #0 to paint, and both paddles and button #1 (held down) to relocate. Hit the space space bar to exit painting and E to exit back to menu. Use option 10 to choose a color and option 11 to go to your picture and color-fill the rectangles.

If you're not having a great time, perhaps you need a good line drawing to color-fill with. Take care of that problem in the ways I have already mentioned, or you can ask Avant-Garde for their Dot and Draw program, which has dozens of line-drawings you can fill.

How to Color-Fill

Do not fill too close to lines. Consider that the bottom of the cursor is where the filling commences. Use picture frames to avoid wraparound. If you are filling with a color that has color bytes whose values exceed 127, then you have a color-bit-on color. If the values are less than 128, then you have a color-bit-off color. Color clash (a function of Apple graphics, not Fudge programming) can happen if color-bit-on and color-bit-off colors are horizontally adjacent. Don't forget to hit C to see color bytes of the current color or X-Y coordinate positions, if necessary.

Finally, fill as cleanly as possible. This means filling at the most appropriate places in an enclosure. Refer to Figure 1. The hardest types of figures to fill are tiny ones and those shaped like stars.

The FILL4 routine in PALETTE is made with speed as priority one, variety of colors/patterns as priority two, and completeness of color-fill of a complex figure as priority three. In my opinion an adventure game whose

Listing 2. PATRNMAKER.

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10 HGR
12 GOSUB 15: GOTO 81
15 P = 16384:0 = 0:2 = 1024:E = 0:U = 2:XX = 16384
20 FOR A = 1 TO 6: FOR B = 1 TO 6: IF A = B = 0 THEN E=
30 FOR C = 1 TO 6: IF (A - C) + (B - C) = 0 THEN 61
40 FOR D = 1 TO 6: IF (A - D) + (E - D) + (C - D) = 0 THEN 60
50 N = N + 1: IF N = 400 THEN CALL 54915: RETURN
50 POKE X,C:0: POKE Y + 1,C:0: POKE E + 2,C:0: POKE U + 1,C:0:0:
+ 2048:0 = 0 + 1: IF U = 4 THEN 52
53 0 = 0:0 = XX + U + E:U = U + 2: IF U > 42 THEN 60
54 U = 2:E = E + 128:X = XX + E: IF E / 1024 THEN 60
55 0 = X - 964:E = 128: RETURN
60 NEXT
61 NEXT
62 NEXT
63 NEXT
81 DATA 8,17,34,68,136,145,162,196,17,34,68,8,145,162,196,136,119,170,93
,59,247,238,221,187,110,93,59,119,238,221,187,247,25,51,102,76,153,17
,230,204,51,102,76,25,179,230,204,153,42,85,170,213,170,213,85
,42,85,42,213,170,213,170
82 DATA 127,127,127,127,255,255,255,0,0,0,0,128,128,128,128,34,68,8,
17,162,196,136,145,68,8,17,34,196,136,145,162,93,59,119,110,221,187,0
47,238,59,119,110,93,187,247,238,221,102,76,25,51,230,204,153,173,76,
25,51,102,204,153,179,230
83 DATA 1,21,1,22,2,21,2,22,1,5,1,6,2,5,2,6,1,13,1,14,1,15,1,16,1,17,1,1
9,2,13,2,14,2,15,2,16,2,17,2,19,3,23,3,24,4,23,4,24,2,7,3,2,4,7,4,0,7
,13,3,14,3,15,3,16,3,17,3,19
84 DATA 4,13,4,14,4,15,4,16,4,17,4,19,5,25,5,26,6,25,6,26,5,13,5,14,5,15
,5,16,5,17,5,19,6,13,6,14,6,15,6,16,6,17,6,19,7,27,7,28,6,27,6,28,7,1
3,7,14,7,15,7,16,7,17,7,19,8,13,8,14
85 DATA 8,15,8,16,8,17,8,19,9,29,9,30,10,29,10,30,9,3,8,14,8,15,8,16,9,
17,9,19,10,13,10,14,10,15,10,16,10,17,10,19,11,31,11,32,12,31,12,32,1
1,13,11,14,11,15,11,16,11,17,11,19,12,13,12,14,12,15,12,16,12,17,13,13
9
86 DATA 5,6,6,7,7,8,5,7,5,8,6,8,5,5,6,6,7,7,8,8,13,13,13,14,13,15,17,16
,13,17,13,19,14,14,14,15,14,16,14,18,14,20,15,15,15,16,15,17,15,17,1
5,16,16,18,16,20,17,17,17,19,19,19,2,2
87 DATA 1,1,3,3,4,4,28,27
88 DIM C1(33),C2(33),C3(33),C4(33)
90 FOR A = 1 TO 32: READ C1(A),C2(A),C3(A),C4(A): NEXT
100 DIM B1(141),B2(141)
110 FOR A = 1 TO 140: READ B1(A),B2(A): NEXT
115 HCOLOR = 0
116 N = 1
117 FOR X = 0 TO 36 STEP 4
120 FOR Y = 64 TO 168 STEP 8
130 FOR A = 0 TO 6 STEP 2
135 I = B1(N):J = B2(N)
140 HPL0T 279,Y + A:AD = PEEK(38) + PEEK(39) + 256 + X
160 POKE AD,C1:I: POKE AD + 1,C2:I: POKE AD + 2,C3:I: POKE AD + 3,C4:I
162 HPL0T 279,Y + A + 1:AD = PEEK(38) + PEEK(39) + 256 + X
165 POKE AD,C1:J: POKE AD + 1,C2:J: POKE AD + 2,C3:J: POKE AD + 3,C4:J
168 NEXT
170 N = N + 1
180 NEXT: NEXT
190 PRINT CHR$(4)"BSAVEPATRN,A$4000,LS1FF8"

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Listing 3. PALETTE.

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0 CLEAR: HOME: TEXT: UTAB 9: HIMEM: 36864
1 ONERR GOTO 63990
2 C(1) = 0: C(2) = 42: C(3) = 85: C(4) = 127: C(5) = 170: C(6) = 217
3 PRINT: FLASH: PRINT "IF YOU DON'T WANT SCREEN ERASED NOW, HITSPACE BA
R, ANY OTHER KEY WILL ERASE THE SCREEN.": NORMAL
4 PP = PEEK(-16384): IF PP > 127 THEN POKE -16384,0: IF PP < 0 THEN 160
5 THEN HGR: GOTO 7
6 GOTO 4
7 C = 3: S = 1: R = 64: X = 139: Y = 79: D$ = CHR$(4): HOME: B = 0: X$ = "0": GOTO
89
8 IF 29 = 0 THEN 29 = 1: HGR2: GOSUB 15: GOSUB 300: GOTO 10
9 POKE -16298,0: POKE -16304,0: POKE -16297,0
10 GOSUB 190: X = 139: C = 3: B = 0: GOTO 89
15 REM
88 RETURN
89 HOME: POKE -16383,0: POKE -16298,0: HCOLOR = C: SCALE = S: ROT = R
90 PRINT: INVERSE: UTAB 1: HTAB 5: PRINT "DO YOU WANT TO:": NORMAL: PRINT
" (0) GO TO MAIN MENU": PRINT " (1) VIEW SCREEN": PRINT " (2) SEE THEM ALL
(VECTOR), ONE AFTER ANOTHER": PRINT " (3) SPECIFY DRAW OR XDRAW"
: PRINT " (4) SPECIFY ROTATION"
91 PRINT " (5) SPECIFY COLOR": PRINT " (6) SPECIFY COORDINATES": PRINT " (7) SP
ECIFY SCALE": PRINT " (8) SPECIFY BACKGROUND": PRINT " (9) LOAD A SHAPE O
R PICTURE": PRINT " (10) CHOOSE A PALETTE COLOR": PRINT " (11) FILL SHAPE
S OR PICTURES"
92 PRINT " (12) MIXED-SCREEN TO FULL-SCREEN GRAPHICS (13) GO TO SCAN & SAVE S
HAPE": PRINT " (14) SAVE 34 SECTOR SCREEN PICTURE": PRINT " (15) ERASE SC
REEN": PRINT " (16) SEE COLOR BYTE #S": PRINT " (17) MYSTERY COLOR"

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95 INPUT "(TYPE 0-17):";B$: IF LEN(B$) = 0 THEN 90
96 IF ASC(B$) > 57 OR ASC(B$) < 48 THEN 90
97 ZZ = VAL(B$): IF ZZ < 0 OR ZZ > 17 THEN 90
98 ON ZZ GOTO 100,110,110,1200,1300,1600,1700,1800,400,8,900,8000,9000,1
100 IF ASC(B$) = 49 THEN POKE - 16304,0: POKE - 16297,0: GOSUB 63000
: HOME: GOTO 89
110 IF ASC(B$) = 50 THEN 140
111 REM
113 IF ZZ = 0 THEN END
140 D = INT(AD / 256): T = D * 256: SM = AD - T
145 NU = PEEK(AD)
150 POKE 232,SM: POKE 233,D
155 PRINT: PRINT "YOU'LL SEE FROM SHAPE 1 TO SHAPE 'NU'." : PRINT "HIT SP
ACE BAR TO MOVE ON TO NEXT SHAPE." : GOSUB 63000
158 HGR: SCALE = S: ROT = R: HCOLOR = B: HPLT 0,0: CALL 62454
159 HCOLOR = C
160 FOR QW = 1 TO NU: GOSUB 1000: UTAB 23: PRINT "SHAPE: 'QW': GOSUB 63010
: HGR: SCALE = S: ROT = R: HCOLOR = B: HPLT 0,0: CALL 62454: HCOLOR = C
: NEXT
161 HOME: GOTO 89
190 POKE 232,96: POKE 233,3: POKE 864,1: POKE 865,0: POKE 866,4: POKE 867
,0: POKE 868,60: POKE 869,54: POKE 870,0: ROT = 0: SCALE = 1: IF UV = 1
THEN UV = 0: RETURN
195 POKE 230,64
200 P0 = 1.09 + PDL(0): P1 = .75 + PDL(1): IF P0 + 18 < 280 THEN XDRAW
1 AT P0,P1: XDRAW 1 AT P0 + 18,P1: FOR QW = 1 TO 100: NEXT: XDRAW 1 AT
P0 + 18,P1: XDRAW 1 AT P0,P1: 0 = PEEK(-16336)
201 IF P0 + 18 > 279 THEN GOSUB 62090: GOTO 200
210 PP = PEEK(-16287): IF PP > 127 THEN P = PEEK(229): IF P / 2 < >
INT(P / 2) AND P < 0 THEN P = P - 1
215 IF PP < 128 THEN 200
220 A = PEEK(P + PEEK(38) + PEEK(39) + 256): B = PEEK(P + 1 + PEEK
(38) + PEEK(39) + 256)
225 C = PEEK(P + 2 + PEEK(38) + PEEK(39) + 256): D = PEEK(P + 3 + PEEK
(38) + PEEK(39) + 256)
230 XDRAW 1 AT P0,P1 + 1: XDRAW 1 AT P0,P1 + 1: E = PEEK(P + PEEK(38) +
PEEK(39) + 256): F = PEEK(P + 1 + PEEK(38) + PEEK(39) + 256): POKE
S,A: POKE 7,B: POKE 8,C: POKE 9,D
232 G = PEEK(P + 2 + PEEK(38) + PEEK(39) + 256): H = PEEK(P + 3 + PEEK
(38) + PEEK(39) + 256)
235 POKE 220,E: POKE 221,F: POKE 222,G: POKE 223,H
290 POKE 230,32: POKE - 16368,0: POKE - 16300,0: RETURN
300 PRINT CHR$(4)"BLOADPATAN.A$4000": RETURN
400 HOME: UTAB 9: POKE - 16303,0: POKE - 16298,0
410 PRINT "WHICH TYPE OF PICTURE DO YOU WISH TO FILL": PRINT: PRINT
"(<1>BLOCK OR HPLT SHAPES": PRINT "(<2>VECTOR SHAPES": PRINT "(<3>34 SE
CTOR SCREEN PICTURE": PRINT: INPUT "(1-3):";A: IF A < 1 OR A > 3 THEN
410
412 IF A = 1 THEN 420
415 PRINT: INVERSE: PRINT "SWITCH TO YOUR SHAPE DISK": NORMAL: GOSUB
63000
420 ON A GOTO 500,600,700
500 PRINT: INPUT "SHAPE TABLE NAME: ";ST$: IF LEN(ST$) = 0 THEN 500
505 PRINT: PRINT "IF HPLT SHAPE DESIRED, HIT H.": GET H$: PRINT CHR$
(13): IF LEN(H$) = 0 THEN 509
508 IF ASC(H$) = 72 THEN PRINT D$"BLOADTEST 0 (CALL2048)": GOTO 509
509 PRINT D$"BLOADTESTTB"
540 PRINT: INVERSE: PRINT "SWITCH TO YOUR SHAPE DISK": NORMAL: GOSUB
63000
510 Q1 = CHR$(4): PRINT D$"BLOAD";ST$: PRINT "ADDRESS: " PEEK(43634) +
PEEK(43635) + 256: PRINT "LENGTH: " PEEK(43616) + PEEK(43617) +
256
515 PRINT: INPUT "SHAPE #: ";SN: IF SN > 23 OR SN < 1 THEN 525
520 POKE 7,0
525 IF ASC(H$) = 72 THEN CALL 2048: POKE - 16304,0: POKE - 16297,0: GOSUB
63010: GOTO 550
540 PRINT: INPUT "UT: ";UT: INPUT "UB: ";UB: INPUT "HR: ";HR: INPUT "HL:
";HL
541 IF UT = 1: GOSUB 190: POKE - 16304,0: POKE - 16297,0
542 P0 = 1.09 + PDL(0): P1 = .75 + PDL(1): XDRAW 1 AT P0,P1: FOR QW = 1
TO 100: NEXT: XDRAW 1 AT P0,P1: 0 = PEEK(-16336)
543 PP = PEEK(-16287): IF PP > 127 THEN 546
544 IF PP < 128 THEN 542
545 TU = INT(P1 - (.5 + (UB - UT))) : BU = TU + (UB - UT): RH = INT((P0 /
.5 + (HR - HL)) / 2) : LH = RH - (HR - HL)
547 IF (TU < 0 OR BU > 191) OR (RH > 39 OR LH < 0) THEN GOSUB 60000: POP
: GOTO 542
543 POKE 252,TU: POKE 253,BU: POKE 254,RH: POKE 255,LH
550 CALL 2116: GET A$: PRINT CHR$(13): HOME: UTAB 9: POKE - 16303,0: POKE
- 16208,0: INPUT "DO YOU WANT ANOTHER? (Y/N): ";A$: IF LEN(A$) = 0
THEN 550
550 IF ASC(A$) = 89 THEN 525
570 GOTO 89
600 PRINT: INPUT "SHAPE TABLE NAME: ";ST$: IF LEN(ST$) = 0 THEN 600
610 Q1 = CHR$(4): PRINT D$"BLOAD";ST$: PRINT "ADDRESS: " PEEK(43634) +
PEEK(43635) + 256: PRINT "LENGTH: " PEEK(43616) + PEEK(43617) +
256
611 AD = PEEK(43634) + PEEK(43635) + 256: NS = PEEK(AD)
612 PRINT "4 OF SHAPES IN TABLE: " NS
620 PRINT: INPUT "SHAPE #: ";SN: IF SN > NS OR SN < 1 THEN 620
625 POKE - 16304,0: POKE - 16297,0
630 HI = INT(AD / 256): LO = AD - (HI * 256)
640 (U) = 1: GOSUB 190
642 P0 = 1.09 + PDL(0): P1 = .75 + PDL(1): XDRAW 1 AT P0,P1: FOR QW = 1
TO 100: NEXT: XDRAW 1 AT P0,P1: 0 = PEEK(-16336)
644 PP = PEEK(-16287): IF PP > 127 THEN 649
645 IF PP < 128 THEN 642
649 POKE 232,LO: POKE 233,HI: ROT = R: SCALE = S: HCOLOR = C
650 POKE - 16304,0: POKE - 16297,0: DRAW SN AT P0,P1: GOSUB 63000: HOME

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scenes take a long time to fill gets old really fast.

How Color-Filling Works

In general, color-filling works like this. Bytes on the screen are inspected for on bits. If there is room to stick some or all of a color-byte into the screen-byte, it is done. Once the byte is "filled" the next screen-byte to the right is handled in the same way. If the byte found is not all 0's (black), it tells the routine to quit moving to the right because a line has been encountered. So now bytes are inspected from right to left. Once on bits (a line) are found, this particular horizontal line in the enclosed space being filled

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is done, so we go up a line and fill. The same right-first-and-left-second sequence of inspection happens here. Once that line is filled, up again... until you hit a line that says you can no longer fill in the upward direction. Then you start filling in a downward direction, with the same right and left sequence. When you hit the bottom of the enclosed space (too many on bits to allow byte-filling) the routine ceases.

The fill location is where all this starts. But the horizontal byte column number of the fill location is also the "go-back-to" X coordinate. This means that once you have hit a right boundary you go to X equals "go-back-to" minus 1. And when you're done with leftward filling due to an encounter with a line, you go up to the next line (using the "go-back-to"

(minus 1 as Y coordinate) to use "go-back-to" as the X byte coordinate (there are 280 X coordinates at the bit level, but only 40 at the byte level). Once you are done with upward filling, use the original "go-back-to" Y coordinate plus 1 as the next inspection byte for filling.

This type of algorithm is great for speed, but don't be surprised if complex shapes or enclosures need extra fills in some places. By thinking about the "go-back-to" X coordinate parameter, you can easily visualize how a complex figure might need multiple fills. When a line is encountered while filling upward (still using right-then-left inspection sequencing for the current horizontal line) the routine goes all the way back down to the original fill location (with Y incremented by 1 since lower equals greater for Y) for further inspections. For a hand-like figure with fingers pointing upward, five fills would be needed.

See Figure 2 for a flow chart from the Hi-Res Secrets manual. It relates to the FILL1 routine, which uses only four color bytes. FILL4 not only uses \$6-\$9, but \$DC-\$DF as well (8 color bytes).

In the Figure 2 flow chart, details are omitted. "Y" means Y register where the horizontal byte coordinate (0-39) is stored. This is an X, not Y, coordinate. Also, "cba" means current

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: UTAB 9: POKE - 16303,0: POKE - 16298,0: INPUT "DO YOU WANT ANOTHE
R? (Y/N): ";A$: IF LEN (A$) = 0 THEN 650
660 IF ASC (A$) = 89 THEN 620
670 GOTO 89
700 PRINT : INPUT "34 SECTOR PICTURE NAME? ";PC$: PRINT 0;"BLOAD";PC$: HOME
: GOTO 89
900 UU = 1: POKE - 16304,0: POKE - 16297,0: GOSUB 190
902 IF US = 0 THEN US = 1: PRINT CHR$ (4);"BLOADFILL4"
905 POKE - 16300,0: POKE 230,32
906 Z6 = 0
907 IF US = 0 THEN US = 1: POKE - 16303,0: POKE - 16298,0: HOME : PRINT
"POL #0 TO FILL , POL #1 TO EXIT": GOSUB 62000: POKE - 16304,0: POKE
- 16297,0
910 P0 = 1.09 * PDL (0):P1 = .75 * PDL (1): GOSUB 1500: XDRAW 1 AT P0,P1
: FOR QH = 1 TO 100: NEXT : XDRAW 1 AT P0,P1: IF H1 = 0 THEN Z = PEEK
( - 16336)
915 Q = PEEK (229): POKE 255,0: POKE 239,0
916 P9 = PEEK ( - 16384): IF P9 > 127 THEN POKE - 16388,0: IF P9 > 1
95 THEN GOSUB 15000
917 IF P9 = 195 THEN HOME : GOSUB 16000
918 PP = PEEK ( - 16286): IF PP > 127 THEN HOME : GOTO 89
920 PF = PEEK ( - 16287): IF PF > 127 THEN 950
930 IF PP < 128 THEN 910
950 XDRAW 1 AT P0,P1: POKE 237, PEEK (48): XDRAW 1 AT P0,P1: CALL 36864
980 GOTO 910
1000 IF X$ = "D" THEN DRAW QH AT X,Y: RETURN
1010 IF X$ = "X" THEN XDRAW QH AT X,Y: RETURN
1020 RETURN
1100 HOME : UTAB 9: TEXT : INPUT "DO YOU WANT DRAW OR XDRAW? (D OR X):";X
$: IF X$ = "D" AND X$ = "X" THEN 1100
1120 HOME : GOTO 89
1200 HOME : UTAB 9: TEXT : INPUT "GIVE DESIRED ROTATION (0-255):";R: IF R
0 OR X > 255 THEN 1200
1220 HOME : GOTO 89
1300 HOME : UTAB 9: TEXT : INPUT "GIVE DESIRED SHAPE COLOR (0-7):";C: IF C
0 OR 4 = BLACK, 3 OR 7 = WHITE: 1 = GREEN, 2 = VIOLET, 5 = ORANGE, 6 =
BLUE :";C
1305 IF C < 0 OR C > 7 THEN 1300
1320 HOME : GOTO 89
1500 IF INT ( INT (P1) / 2) < INT (P1) / 2 THEN P1 = P1 - 1
1510 RETURN
1600 HOME : UTAB 9: TEXT : INPUT "GIVE DESIRED X COORD. (0-279):";X: IF X
< 0 OR X > 279 THEN 1600
1610 HOME : UTAB 9: TEXT : INPUT "GIVE DESIRED Y COORD. (0-191):";Y: IF Y
< 0 OR Y > 191 THEN 1610
1620 HOME : GOTO 89
1700 HOME : UTAB 9: TEXT : INPUT "GIVE DESIRED SCALE (1-255):";S: IF Y <
0 OR Y > 255 THEN 1700
1720 HOME : GOTO 89
1800 HOME : UTAB 9: TEXT : INPUT "GIVE DESIRED BACKGROUND COLOR (0-7) (<0
OR 4 = BLACK, 3 OR 7 = WHITE: 1 = GREEN, 2 = VIOLET, 5 = ORANGE, 6 =
BLUE :";B
1810 IF B < 0 OR B > 7 THEN 1800
1815 HCOLOR= B: HPL0T 0,0: CALL 62454: HCOLOR= C
1820 HOME : GOTO 89
8000 POKE - 16302,0: GOTO 89
9000 FLASH : PRINT "SWITCH TO YOUR PROGRAM DISK!": NORMAL : GOSUB 63000: PRINT
D$"RUNSCAN"
10000 PRINT : INPUT "34 SECTOR SCREEN PICTURE NAME: ";N$: IF LEN
(N$) = 0 THEN 89
10002 PRINT : INPUT "DID YOU GET IT RIGHT? (Y/N):";A$: IF LEN (A$) = 0 THEN
10002
10004 IF ASC (A$) = 78 THEN 10000

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10000 FLASH : PRINT "SWITCH TO SHAPE DISK!": NORMAL : GOSUB 63000: PRINT
    D$;"BSAUE";N$;"A8192,L8192": GOTO 89
11000 HOME : UTAB 3: TEXT : FLASH : INPUT "SURE YOU WANT TO ERASE SCREEN?"
    (Y/N);A$: IF LEN (A$) = 0 THEN 11000
11010 NORMAL : IF ASC (A$) < > 89 THEN 89
11020 CALL 62450: GOTO 89
12000 HOME : TEXT : UTAB 3: INVERSE : HTAB 3: PRINT "YOUR COLOR #S. IN $6
    -$9 & $DC-$DF ARE:"
12010 UTAB 6: PRINT "(A) $6 = " PEEK (6): PRINT : PRINT "(B) $7 = " PEEK
    (7): PRINT : PRINT "(C) $8 = " PEEK (8): PRINT : PRINT "(D) $9 = " PEEK
    (9): PRINT : PRINT
12020 PRINT "(E) $DC = " PEEK (220): PRINT : PRINT "(F) $DD = " PEEK (221)
    : PRINT : PRINT "(G) $DE = " PEEK (222): PRINT : PRINT "(H) $DF = " PEEK
    (223)
12030 NORMAL : UTAB 23: PRINT " (HIT ANY KEY TO CONTINUE.):": GOSUB 630
    10: GOTO 89
13000 HOME : UTAB 7: HTAB 15: PRINT "MYSTERY COLOR.": INVERSE : UTAB 9: HTAB
    15: PRINT " ": UTAB 9: HTAB 22: PRINT " ": UTAB 11: HTAB 15: PRINT
    : UTAB 11: HTAB 22: PRINT " "
13010 FOR A = 1 TO 20: A1 = INT ( RND (1) * 256): UTAB 9: HTAB 16: PRINT
    21:02 = INT ( RND (1) * 256): UTAB 9: HTAB 23: PRINT 02:03 = INT ( RND
    (1) * 256): UTAB 11: HTAB 16: PRINT 03:04 = INT ( RND (1) * 256): UTAB
    11: HTAB 23: PRINT 04
13015 IF 0 = 20 THEN 13021
13020 UTAB 9: HTAB 16: PRINT " ": UTAB 9: HTAB 23: PRINT " ": UTAB 11
    : HTAB 16: PRINT " ": UTAB 11: HTAB 23: PRINT " ":FK = PEEK ( -
    16336):PK = PEEK ( - 16336): NEXT
13021 INVERSE : UTAB 14: HTAB 15: PRINT " ": UTAB 14: HTAB 22: PRINT
    " ": UTAB 16: HTAB 15: PRINT " ": UTAB 16: HTAB 22: PRINT "
13022 AS = 01:06 = 02:07 = 03:08 = 04: UTAB 14: HTAB 16: PRINT 05: UTAB 14
    : HTAB 23: PRINT 06: UTAB 16: HTAB 16: PRINT 07: UTAB 16: HTAB 23: PRINT
    08
13023 UTAB 10: PRINT "$6-$9:": UTAB 15: PRINT "$DC-$DF:"
13025 POKE 220,05: POKE 221,06: POKE 222,07: POKE 223,08
13026 POKE 5,01: POKE 7,02: POKE 8,03: POKE 9,04
13030 FOR 0 = 1 TO 80:PK = PEEK ( - 16336): NEXT : NORMAL : PRINT "": UTAB
    21: GOSUB 63000: GOTO 89
15000 IF P9 = 193 OR P9 = 211 THEN U1 = 1: RETURN
15001 Z6 = 0
15010 HOME : UTAB 9: POKE - 16303,0: POKE - 16298,0: PRINT "PAINTBRUSH
    HCOLOR: (0-7):": GET C$: PRINT C$: PRINT CHR$(13): IF LEN (C$) =
    0 THEN 15010
15012 IF Z6 = 1 THEN PRINT : PRINT "GIVE PAINTBRUSH HEIGHT:": GET H$: PRINT
    H$: FK = PEEK ( - 16336): NEXT
15015 IF U5 = 0 THEN U5 = 1: PRINT : PRINT "POLS TO PAINT, POL #1 BUTTON
    TO ENTER : PRINT
15020 IF VAL (C$) < 0 OR VAL (C$) > 0 THEN 15010
15030 HT = P1 - 176:HC = VAL (C$): HCOLOR= HC: IF Z6 = 1 THEN HT = VAL (
    -8)
15031 Z6 = 1
15035 POKE - 16304,0: POKE - 16297,0
15037 IF POL (1) + .75 < 191 - (HT - 1) THEN P0 = POL (0) + 1.0942:P1 =
    POL (1) + .75:P4 = P0:P6 = P0
15040 IF POL (1) + .75 < 191 - (HT - 1) THEN P0 = POL (0) + 1.0942:P1 =
    POL (1) + .75
15042 P4 = P4:P6 = P6
15043 IF P6 < 191 - (HT - 1) THEN P2 = - 1
15045 PK = PEEK ( - 16306): IF PK > 127 THEN P0 = POL (0) + 1.0942:P1 =
    POL (1) + .75: XDRAM 1 AT P0:P1: FOR 0 = 1 TO 100: NEXT : XDRAM 1 AT
    P2:P1: CLTO 15035
15045 IF PVL 1 + .75 < 191 - (HT - 1) THEN P2 = POL (0) + 1.0942:P3 =
    POL (1) + .75: FOR P = P5 TO P2 STEP 23: HPL0T P,P3 TO P,(P3 + (HT -
    1) * P3) : HT = 1: 0) * (P3 + (HT - 1) * 192): NEXT
15047 PK = PEEK ( - 16304): IF PK > 127 THEN POKE - 16368,0: GOTO 15070
15049 GOTO 15040
15050 POKE - 16303,0: POKE - 16298,0: HOME : UTAB 9: INPUT "WANT TO PAI
    N SOME MORE OR FILL OR EXIT? (TYPE F OR F OF E):":A$: IF LEN (A$) =
    0 THEN 15070
15052 IF ASC (A$) = 69 THEN POP : GOTO 89
15054 IF ASC (A$) = 70 THEN POKE - 16304,0: POKE - 16297,0: RETURN
15056 IF ASC (A$) = 80 THEN 15010
15057 GOTO 15070
15060 POKE - 16303,0: POKE - 16298,0: UTAB 7: PRINT "COORDINATES:": PRINT
    PRINT "X = " INT (P0): PRINT "Y = " INT (P1): PRINT : PRINT "COLOR
    # = " PRINT
15062 PRINT PEEK (6) " " PEEK (7) " " PEEK (8) " " PEEK (9): PRINT PEEK
    (20) " " PEEK (221) " " PEEK (222) " " PEEK (223): GOSUB 63000: POKE
    - 16304,0: POKE - 16297,0: RETURN
15065 FOR 0 = 1 TO 10:FK = PEEK ( - 16336): NEXT : RETURN
15067 PRINT : PRINT "HIT A TO STOP CLICKS.": PRINT : PRINT "HIT 1-9 TO GE
    T WORK. PAINTBRUSH OF THAT HEIGHT & HIT 0-7 FOR HI-RES COLORS 0-7.": PRINT
    : PRINT "HIT SPACE BAR TO EXIT PAINTING."
15069 PRINT : PRINT "HITTING SPACE BAR WHEN IN FILL MODE WILL GET YOU
    PAINTBRUSH HEIGHT OF 18---THEN YOU MERELY CHOOSE HI-RES COLOR.:"
15070 PRINT : PRINT "TO MOVE POLS WITHOUT PAINTING, HOLD DOWNPOL BUTTON #
    1.
15072 PRINT : PRINT "HIT C FOR COORD.S & COLOR BYTES."
15074 GOTO 63000
15090 TEXT : HOME : PRINT "TURN PADDDLE #0 COUNTERCLOCKWISE!": FOR 00 = 1
    TO 10:00 = PEEK ( - 16336): NEXT : POKE - 16304,0: POKE - 16297,0
    : POKE - 16299,0: RETURN
63000 PRINT : PRINT "HIT ANY KEY TO CONTINUE.": PRINT
63010 FK = PEEK ( - 16304): IF FK > 127 THEN POKE - 16368,0: RETURN
63020 GOTO 63010
63990 POKE 216,0:KP = PEEK (222)
63991 ONERR GOTO 63990
63995 IF KP = 254 THEN RESUME
63997 PRINT " ", " ", " "
63998 CALL 54915
63999 GOTO 89

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byte's address (\$2000-\$3FFF), and "CBADWN" means the routine that checks downward for the next screen byte (cba) inspection.

"A or B" refers to the fact that in FILL1 there are two different horizontal color bytes (FILL4 has four) and I have named one A and one B. If you put A where B belongs, it changes color, so take care.

"Y = 39" is a place where you hit the right edge of the screen while moving to the right (0-39 are the only

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possible X-byte column coordinates), and "Y = 0" refers to the left edge of the screen's byte column.

Seed address is the starting coordinate's screen byte and the "go-back-to" parameter in both X and Y coordinate questions. ">\$3FFF" refers to the bottom edge of the screen and "<\$2000" refers to the top edge of the hi-res page 1 screen.

The entire block that contains "address>\$1FFF" and "address<\$2000," etc., is called CBAUP since you are inspecting upward at this point. The entire block below the CBAUP block is the CBADWN block and contains "address>\$3FFF" and other goodies. The block above CBAUP is the CBALFT block and the one above that is the CBARGT block (left and right respectively). Since right, left, up and then down is the sequence of inspection, you can see that this flow chart is to be read from top to bottom.

Next month's column is going to be a surprise—I'm not telling! ■